

TERRITORIAL TOPICS.

DEMING DOTS.

Chas. Allen and W. C. Wallis have purchased the store and fixtures of Jas. Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson intends moving to Alabama.

The canigre extract works are casting about for a new location and may get up into the Rio Grande where the tan bark stuff is more plentiful.

The small pox conditions on the upper Mimbres are creating renewed and increased apprehension. News reached town Thursday that small pox is spreading rapidly up the river. San Juan has forty-five cases, Hanover nineteen and Santa Rita eight.

That New Mexico is not devoid of opportunities for homeseekers is attested by the number of homestead entries recently made on lands near Deming. Thirteen men have just filed notice of intention with U. S. Court Commissioner B. Y. McKee for lands near Deming. Most of these parties intend to make entry at the land office in Las Cruces on November 25.

There is a serious scarcity of water on the Grant county stock ranges. The Headlight says: Possibly the most serious failure in the water supply is that of the Hagin Company at Cow Springs. The once never-failing spring there is threatening to run dry. More cattle ordinarily water at Cow Springs, probably, than at any other one point in lower Grant county, which makes the failure of the water supply there particularly unfortunate.

SAN JUAN SAYINGS.

John Barton, an old and respected citizen, is dead.

It is reported that Roy Stewart has captured Foot Caviness and placed him in jail at Monticello, and that several men are hot on the trail of Bob Caviness.

Weather note in the Farmington Times: Mud! Did anybody say mud? Well we are from Missouri and web-footed, and our "squirrel gun" is loaded to the muzzle. A word to the wise.

E. O. Booram and Wm. Locke left Wednesday going to Aztec, thence on to Canon City, Colo., where Mr. Locke will stop. Mr. Booram will go on down to Colfax county, N. M. Both will canvass for portable pantries.

ALBUQUERQUE ATOMS.

The Albuquerque wheel club is providing the town with a good roads boom.

A Jelfs, of Baton, is newly married, and after the Grand lodge sessions at Gallup closed he went on to California with his wife.

T. B. Clements, lately in the employ of Noble Berggren, the Nebraska sheep buyer, tells the Citizen that Noble is honest and all right, but may lack tact and business experience.

E. M. Elliot, supreme vice-chancellor of the United Moderns, has been in the city for a few days and from encouragement received he has decided to organize a lodge of his order.

A party of young friends called upon Arthur Spencer, who made a splendid reputation for himself in Cuba under Colonel Roosevelt, and the young soldier was given a hearty greeting.

The Woodmen's Circle held a session of unusual interest Thursday night, and added no less than eighteen new members. Several officers of the supreme circle were present and delivered eloquent addresses.

The Democrat job department has just turned out an artistic, illustrated folder descriptive of Gallup, N. M. The write-up of the town and its coal mining industry is condensed, yet thoroughly covers the ground. C. E. Stivers is the publisher.

Milton Dow, the Chilili merchant, is in the city. He reports the death of a man known as John Young, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Poole, at Chilili, the other day. Mr. Dow also stated that the ranges are in fine condition for grazing, and that cattle, sheep, and, in fact, all kinds of stock are looking fine.

Mrs. Edward Rosenwald and Misses Jettie and Alma were passengers from Las Vegas to station Thursday night. They will remain until the 23d of the present month, when the marriage of L. R. Strauss and Miss Hedwig Jaffa will occur. David and Sidney Rosenwald will be among the other Albuquerque guests at the happy occurrence. — Albuquerque Democrat.

STOCK NOTES.

F. B. Coman left this morning for his fine sheep ranch at Gallinas Springs.

Chas. G. Mantz and Stewart Webster of Fort Collins, Colo., are in the city on a stock buying trip.

W. E. McLeland and W. H. Arney of Marshalltown, Iowa, are in the city in quest of bargains in sheep.

A. T. Creary shipped out five car loads of sheep today. He hails from Union, Iowa, and that's the destination of this shipment. A Mr. Beach, of Colorado, is also making a large shipment of feeders north today.

Thos. Cully, the handsome young English rancher who had been on a business trip to Albuquerque and Santa Fe, returned last night and left today for Harvey's resort. Mr. Cully has just paid \$3,000 for the Cowas stock ranch on Cow creek, Pecos county.

H. B. Gidding drove in from Puerto de Luna a bunch of 7,500 sheep today, part of which are owned by Chas. H. Feld, which have been sold at a right nice figure to northern buyers. John Gerhardt of Puerto de Luna, has just sold 3,000 head of stock sheep in this city. F. Manzanera, Jr., taking some 2,000 of them. Mr. Gerhardt has also contracted to deliver 150 head of superior Merino grade bucks and left today for his home to round them up and drive them to town.

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EDITORIAL PITH.

This from the Philadelphia Times ought to nettles the royal family. It says: Queen, Victoria's permitting her grandchildren to play tennis on Sunday has raised quite a racket in England.

Spain is amazed at the American demand concerning the Philippines. She will be still more disconcerted if she fails to comply with it, observes the New York Mail and Express.

To the Sioux City Tribune it looks as if the pneumatic tire would have to give way to the pneumatic hub, which has just been invented. Year by year we get nearer to flying.

In the opinion of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, anything in the nature of a donation is sure to strike the Spaniard favorably. The offer of the government to give free transportation to the families of officers from Cuba to Spain has resulted in an avalanche of weddings over the island.

The Chicago Times-Herald says: Of course Spain will hear with great pleasure that the Indians of the San Francisco reservation have risen in revolt, massacred the garrison at Chicago, and are now besieging New York, with every indication that the entire American Nation will be wiped out.

According to the Denver Post, a preacher down in southern Utah, as a "scarer up of sinners," wrote a hymn entitled "There'll be a Hot Time in the Old Land, By and By," and asked the congregation to join in singing it, but the brethren cut in on the old original and sung it with a vim that almost knocked the mortgage off the church.

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